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Beaumont Leys Newsletter #YouSaidWeDid

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West Leicester - Neighbourhood Policing Area

Your Neighbourhood Team



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What Matters to You

With data provided by our local community we have decided on our 3 beat priorities.

Priority 1: **Theft from motor vehicles in Glebelands area**

During the last few weeks of September we seen an increase across west Leicester and the Glebelands area of wallets and cards being taken from vehicles. The beat team have been advising and targeting area that are affected the most.

Priority 2: **Darker Night burglary prevention patrols**

Historically, during the month of October, November and December we see an increase in house breaks. The beat team plans to patrols more regularly where these burglaries happen. In Particular The Heathley Park Estate.

Priority 3: **Tackle increase in shoplifting at Beaumont Shopping centre**

We have seen an increase of stores at the shopping centre reporting thefts. We plan to tackle this with increased presence and plain clothed operation.

The Beaumont Beat team will also be helping out response colleagues and assisting with investigation enquiries.

What We have done #YouSaidWeDid

Theft from motor vehicles in Glebelands area

There has been a spike in the amount of theft from motor vehicles (TFMV) force wide and the Glebeland estate has been flagged in the Beaumont Leys area as having high vehicle interference.

We increased patrols in the area during the month of October to help deter TFMV. I can confirm we haven't had any reports of TFMV in the Glebeland estate and only 2 in the whole Beaumont Leys. These were theft of registration plates.

Please ensure you take personal belongings and valuables out of the vehicle to prevent you from being a vic-

Darker Night burglary prevention patrols

During the season of autumn we often see an increase in burglaries across the force. The Beaumont beat team have been completing more regular patrols in areas that have historically been targeted. We will stop in the location to act as a deterrent and stop any persons which look to be going equipped.

We advise all residents to keep video doorbells charged. Doors locked when not in property and to be mindful with lights illuminating houses when you are not present after sundown.

Please be mindful regarding any valuables in any obvious places I.E next to the door hung up or visible ac-

KEEP YOUR PROPERTY SECURE THIS WINTER

- Remember to test your burglar alarm regularly
- Use timer switches to ensure lights come on when it gets dark
- Fit sheds, garages and any outbuildings with locks
- Make sure your house still looks occupied when you're not home
- Reconsider leaving notes for the postman about where to leave parcels
- Look at your property from the outside to review what can be seen

For more safety advice, visit www.leics.police.uk/burglary

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Tackle increase in shoplifting at Beaumont Shopping centre

Shoplifting is an ongoing issue in the shopping centre, we have been in and around the shopping centre very regularly speaking to stores that are being targeted by prolific offenders.

The beat team have carried out reassurance High Visibility and Plain clothed patrols.

CCTV enquiries are being completed and also patrols in and around the centre spotting or catching offenders.

Hate Crime and Retail crime week

- During Patrols PCSO Kurtis has asked to assist security at Tesco with a shoplifter they were going to stop. The lady who claimed to just be stealing a cake for her daughter had near to £40 worth of good unpaid for. This was the first offence for the suspect in a couple of years and was dealt with by PC Middleton via an out of court resolution.
- We had a beat surgery at Beaumont Shopping Centre for Hate Crime week to raise awareness. During this multiple other issues were raised that are being actioned by your neighbourhood team.

When holding a beat surgery at E2 for the retail and hate crime week PCSO Jaik came across a wanted male. Radioed up and the male was soon detained by officers.



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Community Engagements

Do not miss out on our events!

Location	Date	Time	Details of Engagement
E2 Home Farm Community Centre	14th November	11am-1pm	Local officer will be holding a beat surgery at the location for local residents to raise any concerns.
Beaumont Leys shopping centre	15th November	3pm-5pm	Local officer will be in or around the centre to tackle anti-social behaviour or have a chat with local shoppers about problems.
Glebelands Estate	20th November	10am-12pm	Local officer will be in or around the Glebelands estate and passing advice around burglary prevention.

Not an emergency?

Click before
you call.

Use 101 online

Your crime or incident report will go to the right team, first time.

An alternative if you're not comfortable discussing the issue on the phone.

You can complete the report when convenient for you.

You'll keep our phone lines clear for emergency 999 calls.

We need your help to keep our phone lines clear for emergencies. If your call isn't an emergency, see if the information or service you need is on our website [HERE](#), before you call 101. You can use our website to report crimes or incidents at a time convenient for you.

We urge you to call 999 in an emergency - if you or someone else are in immediate danger, or a crime is in progress.

Other Useful Numbers:

- 105 - National Grid
- 111 - NHS Helpline
- 0800 783 4444 - Seven Trent Emergency number
- 0800 111 999 - National Gas
- 0116 269 6177 - Dog Warden (only contained dogs will be collected) guidance [HERE](#)